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Re: Appl. No. 09/258,132; Filed: 02/26/99
For: **Nucleic Acid Typing By Polymerase Extension of
Oligonucleotides Using Terminator Mixtures**
Inventors: P. Goelet, *et al*
Our Ref: 04990.0007.US01

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) are the following documents:

1. Request for Corrected Official Filing Receipt;
2. Corrected photocopy of Official Filing Receipt;
3. Copy of Utility Patent Application Transmittal; and
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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 08-3038. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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